



## MEETING OF THE STATES OF DELIBERATION

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Wednesday 22<sup>nd</sup> January 2025

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#### 1. PRAYERS

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#### 2. EVOCATION

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#### 4. COMMUNICATIONS BY THE PRESIDING OFFICER INCLUDING *IN MEMORIAM* TRIBUTES

- In Memoriam: former Deputy Pat Mellor
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#### 5. STATEMENTS

- President, Committee *for* Economic Development  
General Update Statement
  - President, Committee *for* Scrutiny Management  
General Update Statement
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#### 6. QUESTIONS

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<b>From:</b> Deputy Gollop	<b>To:</b> President, Environment & Infrastructure Committee
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| 1 | Since the freeze of 1963 crabs and lobsters have been numerous in Guernsey GG fishing waters for the commercial fishing industry but recent climate change patterns and ecological ecosystems change are seeing a rise in predatory octopuses consuming crustaceans and scallops. How can E and I encourage and sustain the habitat balance and sustainable crab lobster and shellfish numbers and minimise octopi consumption damage? |
| 2 | I have met a concerned fisherman, and am aware of a significant challenge for the fishing sector if declines in commercial catch and severe income restrictions. Will Environment and Infrastructure Committee be working closely with the                                                                                                                                                                                             |
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Economic Development Committee and other stakeholders to appraise the situation and consider policies to support the fishing community replenishment and support in mitigation to sustain our fishing sector?

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**From:** Deputy Le Tissier                      **To:** President, States' Assembly & Constitution Committee

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- 1 Will SACC review the decision to publish attendance of those attending the candidate's training/information sessions bearing in mind the objections expressed both publicly and through the States members internal emails now it has been seen as government interference in the democratic process?
  - 2 If SACC intends to proceed despite the objections what are the justifications for doing so?
  - 3 Was the decision to publish attendance at training/information sessions a unanimous decision of the committee? If not, please will you advise the voting of each member?
  - 4 The media release dated 13<sup>th</sup> December from SACC does not give any clarity regarding publication of details, just a comment from the President. For example, does it apply to existing members, returning members or only first-time candidates? Please advise how this would be handled to fairly represent each candidate and how absence with good reason would be shown?
  - 5 Has SACC obtained advice from the Data Protection Office that publishing candidate's attendance without permission is legal under the Data Protection Law?
  - 6 Does SACC consider it is being open and transparent to the assembly in this matter?
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## **7. ELECTIONS AND APPOINTMENTS**

Committee for Economic Development

[Appointment of an Ordinary Member of the Office of the Financial Services Ombudsman](#)

### **Billet d'État II**

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1. Committee for Education, Sport & Culture

[Election of a Member of the Committee for Education, Sport & Culture](#)

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## **8. MOTIONS TO DEBATE AN APPENDIX REPORT (1<sup>ST</sup> STAGE)**

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## **9. ARTICLES ADJOURNED OR DEFERRED FROM PREVIOUS MEETINGS OF THE STATES**

### **Billet d'État I**

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1. Requête

[Establishment of the Committee for Housing](#)

Secondary Proposition	Proposer	Seconder
<a href="#">Amendment 4</a>	Deputy St Pier	Deputy Roffey
<a href="#">Amendment 1</a>	Deputy De Sausmarez	Deputy Gabriel
<a href="#">Amendment 6</a>	Deputy De Sausmarez	Deputy Soulsby

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**2. States' Assembly & Constitution Committee**

[Dates of States' Meetings September 2025 to August 2029](#)

Secondary Proposition	Proposer	Seconder
<a href="#">Amendment 1</a>	Deputy Meerveld	Deputy St Pier

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**3. States' Assembly & Constitution Committee**

[Review of Rules of Procedure](#)

Secondary Proposition	Proposer	Seconder
<a href="#">Amendment 5</a>	Deputy Meerveld	Deputy St Pier
<a href="#">Amendment 1</a>	Deputy Falla	Deputy Inder
<a href="#">Amendment 2</a>	Deputy Queripel	Deputy Vermeulen
<a href="#">Amendment 3</a>	Deputy Dudley-Owen	Deputy Queripel
<a href="#">Amendment 4</a>	Deputy Dudley-Owen	Deputy Haskins
<a href="#">Amendment 6</a>	Deputy Roffey	Deputy Brouard
<a href="#">Amendment 7</a>	Deputy Gollop	Deputy Le Tissier
<a href="#">Amendment 8</a>	Deputy Mahoney	Deputy Helyar
<a href="#">Amendment 9</a>	Deputy Ferbrache	Deputy Le Tissier

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**4. States' Trading Supervisory Board**

[Guernsey Post Limited – Annual Report and Accounts](#)

**MOTIONS TO DEBATE AN APPENDIX REPORT (2<sup>ND</sup> STAGE)**

- Committee *for* Economic Development  
[Public Trustee's annual report and audited accounts for the year ended 31 December 2023](#)

**10. ALL OTHER TYPES OF BUSINESS NOT OTHERWISE NAMED**

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LEGISLATION LAID BEFORE THE STATES

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Legislation laid before the States

- No. 89 of 2024    [The Sex Offenders \(Prescribed Jurisdictions\) \(Bailiwick of Guernsey\) \(Amendment\) Regulations, 2024](#)
- No. 90 of 2024    [The Merchant Shipping \(Oil Pollution\) \(Bunkers Convention\) \(Bailiwick of Guernsey\) Ordinance, 2012 \(Commencement\) Order, 2024](#)
- No. 92 of 2024    [The Motor Vehicles, Licensing, Tests and Traffic \(Fees\) \(Guernsey\) \(No.2\) Regulations, 2024](#)
- No. 93 of 2024    [The Public Transport \(Fees\) \(Guernsey\) Regulations, 2024](#)

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**LEGISLATION**

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5. Policy & Resources Committee

[The Income Tax \(Gratuity Schemes\) \(Guernsey\) \(Amendment\) Ordinance, 2025](#)

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6. States' Assembly & Constitution Committee

[The Electoral Expenditure Ordinance, 2025](#)

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**OTHER BUSINESS**

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7. Committee for Education, Sport & Culture

[Education Governance](#)

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8. Committee for Economic Development

[The Guernsey Competition and Regulatory Authority : Accounts and Auditors' Report for the year ending 31st December 2023](#)

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9. Policy & Resources Committee

[Reporting Progress on Extant States' Resolutions](#)

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**11. SCHEDULE FOR FUTURE STATES' BUSINESS**

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10. Policy & Resources Committee

[Schedule for future States' business](#)

*N.B. this item cannot be deferred.*

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**12. PRAYERS**

\* *This session the voting will begin with Deputy Meerveld.*